OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, SOUTH KANARA, MANGALORE.

Statement showing the wholesale prices of various commodities for the week ending 31st October 1958 at Mangalore.

Sl. No.	Commodity	Variety	Local unit of transaction (wholesale)	Its equivalent in terms of lbs.	Wholesale prices per wholesale local unit of transaction on 31st October 1958.	Wholesale price per standard maund of 82-2/7 lbs. on ..... (previous week)	Wholesale price per standard maund of 82-2/7 lbs. on ..... (current week)	Reasons for variations over 10 per cent in the price as compared with the previous week
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
					Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.	
1	Paddy. I Sort ...	... Maskathi	Moora	63·84 lbs.	10 00	...	...	...
2	II Sort ...	... Guddu	,,	,,	9 75	...	...	...
3	III Sort ...	... Suggi	,,	,,	9 50	...	...	...
4	Rice I Sort ...	... Maskathi	,,	86·4 lbs.	24 50	...	...	...
5	II Sort ...	... Guddu	,,	,,	24 00	...	...	...
6	III Sort ...	... Suggi	,,	,,	22 00	...	...	...
7	Ragi ...	... ...	...	84 lbs.	...	...	...	...
8	Cane jaggery ...	... I Sort	Candy	560 lbs.	170 00	...	...	...
9	,, ...	... II Sort	,,	,,	140 00	...	...	...
10	Cocoanuts ...	... Unhusked	1,000 Nuts	.... 220 to 301	00	...	...	...
11	,, ...	... Husked	,,	...	...	...	...	...
12	Copra ...	... Office	Candy	700 lbs.	490 00	...	...	...
13	,, ...	... Divi	,,	,,	485 00	...	...	...
14	,, ...	... Dilpasand	,,	,,	480 00	...	...	...
15	Cocoanut Oil ...	... ...	Maund	28 lbs.	34 00	...	...	...
16	Cashew Kernels ...	... ...	Cwt.	112 lbs.	220 00	...	...	...
17	Cashew Nuts ...	... ...	Candy	672 lbs.	130 to 145 00	...	...	...
18	Cardamoms ...	... Mysore	Maund	28 lbs.	230 to 240 00	...	...	...
19	,, ...	... Coorg	,,	,,	220 to 230 00	...	...	...
20	Malabar black pepper ...	... ...	Cwt.	112 lbs.	100 to 110 00	...	...	...
21	Ginger ...	... ...	,,	,,	...	...	...	...
22	Tobacco ...	... Chewing	Maund	28 lbs.	50 00	...	...	...
23	,, ...	... Snuff	,,	,,	65 00	...	...	...
24	,, ...	... Beedi	,,	,,	75 00	...	...	...
25	Arecanuts ...	Unhusked	1,000 Nuts	....	25 to 30 00	...	...	...
26	,, ...	... Husked Old	Cwt.	112 lbs.	...	...	...	...
27	,, ...	... ,, New	,,	,,	240 to 245 00	...	...	...
28	Gunny Bags ...	... ...	Each	...	1 25	...	...	...
29	Chillies ...	... Kumpta	Candy	560 lbs.	...	...	...	...
30	,, ...	... Local	Maund	28 lbs.	23 00	...	...	...
31	,, ...	... Kasaragod	,,	,,	...	...	...	...
	RETAIL PRICES.							
	Tobacco ...	... Chewing	Per lbs.	—	2 25	...		...
		... Snuff	,,	...	2 50	...	...	...
		... Beedi	,,	...	2 50	...	...	...
	CATTLE FOOD.							
	Groundnut Oil Cake ...	... ...	Bag	154 lbs.	22 50	...	...	...
	Cotton Seeds ...	... ...	,,	140 lbs.	...	...	...	...
	Horsegram ...	... ...	,,	205 lbs.	43 to 44 00	...	...	...

N.B.—Columns (7) and (8) should be in terms of rupees and naye paise

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MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 18th OCTOBER 1958.

The State remained free from Plague during the week as in the previous week.

Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1956 and 1957 were 31 attacks with 14 deaths and nil attack with nil death respectively.

A total of 74 attacks with 13 deaths from Small-pox were reported from the Bangalore City and from the Taluks of T. Narasipur, Chamarajanagar, Virajpet, and Hubli and for K.R. Nagar Town.

A total of 9 attacks with one death from Cholera were reported from the taluks of Indi and Sindgi.

A total of 2 attacks with nil deaths from Kyasanur Forest Disease was reported from Shimoga District.

The State remained free from Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Influenza and Infectious Hepatitis.

The total mortality for Bangalore Corporation amounted to 203 (75 in hospitals) for the week giving a calculated death rate of 8·4 (5·3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 10·1 (7·0 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths 2 were due to other Fevers, 22 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 1 due to Small-pox, 7 due to consumption and 171 due to all other causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 71 (38 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 10·6 (4·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 10·1 (8·1 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 14 were due to other Fevers, 5 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 1 due to Consumption, 2 due to Typhoid and 49 due to all other causes.

There were 9 deaths (3 in hospitals) for the week from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields City equivalent to a calculated death rate of 2·6 (1·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 12·4 (7·0 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 1 due to Typhoid, 1 due to other Fevers, 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 6 due to all other causes.

The total mortality for Belgaum City was 8 (nil in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 3·7 (3·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 13·8 (7·3 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 2 were due to other Fevers and 6 due to all other causes.

The total mortality for Mangalore City was 41 (26 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 13·9 (5·0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 16·9 (7·0 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 3 were due to Typhoid, 5 due to dysentery and diarrhœa, 4 due to Consumption and 29 due to all other causes.

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